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REQUEST FOR PARTIAL REFUND PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.28(a)

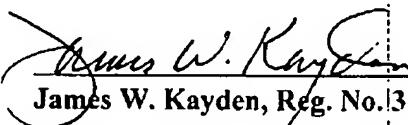
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Sir:

Applicant requests a partial refund of the filing fee previously paid in the application identified above pursuant to 37 CFR 1.28(a). The Applicant paid a filing fee of \$2180.00 and respectfully requests a partial refund in the amount of \$1090.00. The Verified Statement filed herewith establishes status as a small entity.

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Respectfully submitted,

  
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**NOTIFICATION OF ENTITLEMENT TO SMALL ENTITY STATUS  
(37 CFR 1.28(b))**

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Sir:

Applicant hereby notifies the Patent and Trademark Office that it is now entitled to status as a small entity, and that the claim for small entity status should be made of record in the USPTO.

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